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Soviet Embassy in  
Damascus hit.

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MIDEAST-SOVIET EMBASSY

NEW YORK (AP)-CBS RADIO SAID TODAY THAT ISRAELI PLANES SCORED A  
DIRECT HIT ON THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY IN DAMASCUS, SYRIA. THE NETWORK QUOTE:  
A SOVIET DIPLOMAT AS SAYING 30 RUSSIANS, INCLUDING WOMEN AND CHILDREN,  
WERE KILLED.

THE CBS REPORT CAME FROM DEAN BRELIS IN DAMASCUS, WHO SAID HE SAW  
CHILDREN'S BODIES IN THE RUBBLE. HE SAID THE ISRAELI AIRCRAFT  
INFLECTED TREMENDOUS DAMAGE.

BRELIS SAID A HOSPITAL ALSO WAS HIT AND THAT THERE WERE CIVILIAN  
CASUALTIES IN OTHER PARTS OF THE SYRIAN CAPITAL AS A RESULT OF HITS  
ON APARTMENT HOUSES AND PRIVATE HOMES.

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Sit Room comment: U.S. intelligence community unable to  
refute or confirm this report at this  
point.

